

LOCAL BRIEFS

This is some hot weather.

Miss Ella Robins is here from Raleigh visiting Miss Gertrude Dunn.

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Liverman and son Master James left this morning for Roxobel, Bertie county, on a visit to his relatives.

Misses Mary and Nannie Lamb returned home last night from Virginia Beach after a sojourn of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Albertson and Mrs. W. R. Albertson and Miss Bertha have returned from spending some time at Virginia Beach.

Well, no doubt everybody is getting ready for the grand championship games of baseball of which the first game is to be played today between Scotland Neck-Hobgood and Greenville.

Mr. Epp L. Brown and daughter Miss Helen, motored over to Hobgood today to carry Miss Dorothy Lipscomb to catch the northbound train for Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. Johnson Allbrook, who has been in charge of the dye works for the Scotland Neck mills for twenty-three years, resigned his position last Saturday. Mr. Allbrook is held in high esteem by the management of the mills, and he resigned of his own accord.

Mr. A. E. Hancock returned last night after a two weeks visit to his relatives at Ahoskie and Mufreesboro. Mr. Hancock informs The Commonwealth that the crops around Ahoskie were the finest he has seen in many years. He says there were poor crops around Mufreesboro on account of the excessive rains.

Quite a number of Greenville business men were here last night in the interest of the championship baseball series and it was decided that Greenville was the winner of the second half of the first series, therefore the games will be played between Scotland Neck-Hobgood and Greenville, playing part of the games here, and part in Greenville.

We take pleasure in announcing to the public in general that the Hotel Wommack which has changed hands, is now really catering to the wants of our people for a first class hotel. They are serving splendid meals, and everyone is speaking highly of the hotel.

Mr. W. B. Strickland, Jr., one of our progressive merchants leaves this evening for Greensboro, where he goes to attend the State Convention of the Business Men's Life Insurance Co., of which he is representative for Halifax and Martin Counties.

We were out to the Shields Commissary yesterday afternoon to see our friend Mr. James Shields, and we will say that this firm has one of the most up-to-date electric light plants in this part of the country. In fact we have to give them credit for being of the progressive spirit, as they have all the modern conveniences that it takes to make an up-to-the-minute store.

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PERSONALS

Mr. L. T. Petteway, of Tarboro, was in town today.

Miss Dorothy Lipscomb, who has been on an extended visit to Miss Helen Brown, returned to her home in Portsmouth, Va. this morning.

Mr. J. B. Harrison, or in other words "Joe" as he is familiarly known left this evening to attend the meeting of the state representatives of the Business Men's Life Insurance Co., which is to be held in Greensboro for the next several days. He will be one of the same party of which Mr. B. W. Strickland is a member from this district. It is needless to say that these boys will take in the sights while they are gone, and we wish them a pleasant trip.

NOTICE

To Whom it May Concern:

This is to advise that on the 18th day of September the County Superintendent of Schools for Halifax County, by order of the County Board of Education, Article 6, Section 4516, will ask the Clerk of the Superior Court for Halifax County to appoint three appraisers who shall lay off by meters and bounds not more than two acres of the lands belonging to the estate of Austin Shields, Thomas Shields, administrator, and shall assess the value thereof. This land shall be used for a school site for the colored children of the town of Hobgood and vicinity.

Any person aggrieved by the action of appraiser may appeal to the Superior Court in term.

(Signed) E. A. AKERS, County Superintendent Schools of Halifax County.

DEED OF TRUST

Under a deed of trust executed to me by T. A. Solomon and wife, Mollie Solomon, dated Jan. 2nd, 1914, to secure certain indebtedness therein named, and recorded in Book 255 at Page 261 Halifax County Records and conferring the power of sale in me as trustee in case of their failure to pay certain notes therein secured and default having been made in the payment of said notes, at the request of the legal holder of said notes, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in the town of Halifax on Monday the 23rd day of August, 1920, the following described tract or parcel of land.

Beginning at the center of bridge on Terrapin and Brinkleyville county road over Bear Swamp, Bob Brinkley's estate corner, thence along said road 1150 feet to J. H. Norman's 12-1/2 acre tract, cor. at path, thence with J. H. Normans along said path about S. 15 1/2 E. 561 to stone, thence about S. 81 E. 907 feet to elm on Small Branch, thence down said branch 74 ft. to an ash stump on old run of branch, 10 ft. E. of present run Joe Norman cor. in J. H. Norman's line, thence E. 319 feet to a large pine stump a hedgerow edge of field N. M. Harrison's cor. in Joe Norman's line, with N. M. Harrison's S. 1 E. 2665 ft. to stone east edge of path N. M. Harrison cor. in D. S. Inscos line, thence with D. S. Inscos S. 55 W. 793 ft. to stone with pointers on branch, thence down said branch 1822 ft. to Bear Swamp, D. S. Inscos cor. at mouth of said branch, thence up Bear Swamp 3790 ft. to the beginning, containing one hundred and fifty-two and a half (152-1/2) acres, more or less, it being the identical tract this day conveyed to Mollie Solomon of even date with this deed of trust and known as the "David Parker Tract."

J. M. PICOE

Trustee

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A LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

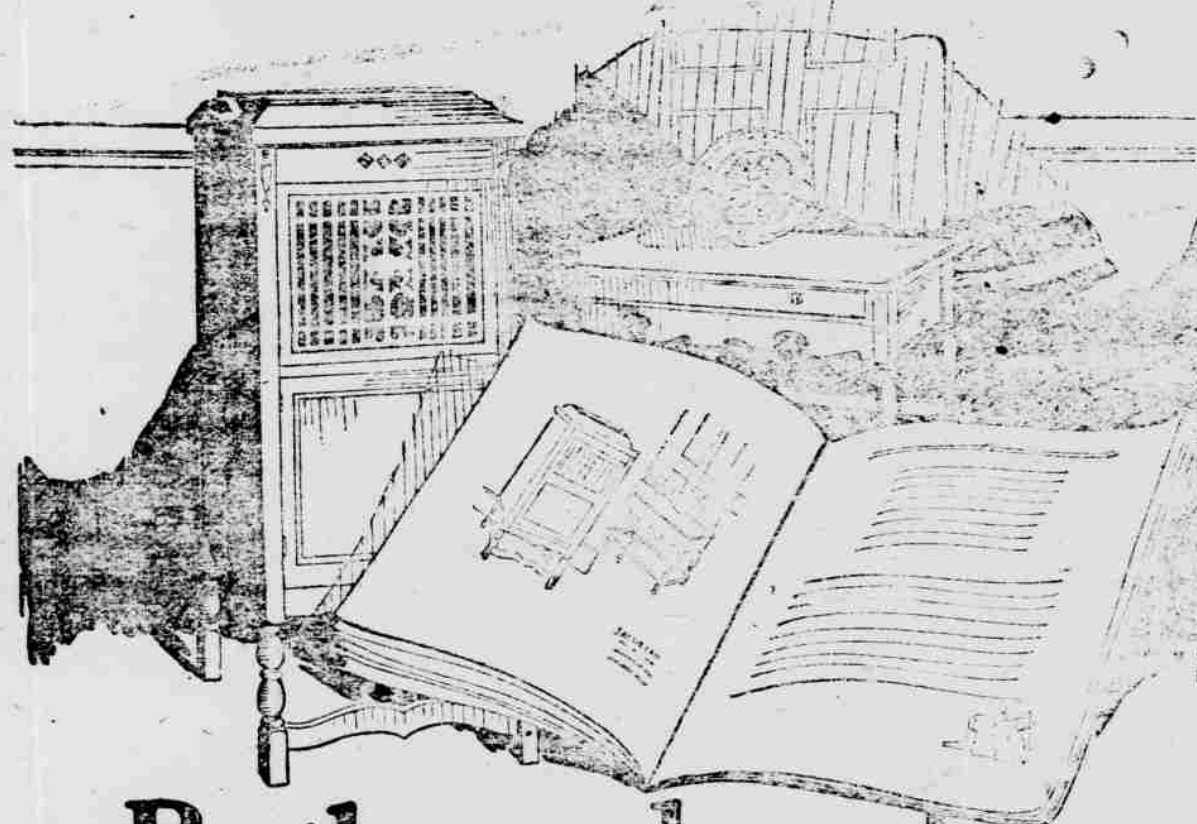
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